as now forsaken in favor of a villa in Regent's

park. REVIVAL OF STAGHUNTING. Staghuating in the famous forest of Chantilly has been recommenced, the Duc de Chartres having pur-chased a fine pack of bounds with which to bunt twice a week for the rest of the season. The Duc d'Aumale had a pack with which he hunted in the forest regularly twelve or thirteen years, and his brother, Prince Joinville, has a famous pack for hunting the wild boar, which swarm in the extensive forests on his estate, Arcenbarro, which is in the department of Marne.

ONFORD AND CAMBRIDGE.

Although there is still time for much improvement on the part of the Cambridge crew, it is evi-dent that they must show much better form than hitherto if they wish to attain popular favor, which has been rather prejudiced from the start of prac-tice on account of the use of a French-built boat, tional insult. Oxford has an immense advantage in weight. Fewer changes have been made in the crew, and their work has lately shown a consider-shie advance, while at last accounts their opponents were not very satisfactory.

EDMUND VATES.

THE DRAMA.

"THE AMAZONS" AT THE LYCEUM.

A. W. Pinero's "farcical romance," called "The Theatre last evening by as large an audience as that little house could hold. The main idea of the play was grotesque and fantastic in the extreme, and it was worked out in such a way as to afford much amusement. The audience found so much cause for merriment in the dialogue and the acting that "The Amazons" must be considered a success of laughter at the least. Ferdinand Gottschalk was so ingenious, eccentric and odd as the Earl of Tweenwayes that the spectators looked upon him as the chief funmaker of the evening. was heartfly welcomed at the Lyceum while Fritz Williams, as a volatile and versatile Frenchman, who tried to ape English ways, pressed him close in the favor of the audience. Miss Bes-sie Tyree was highly successful in her pert drollery in the part of Lady Thomasin Belturbet. It may be truly said also that the whole company acted with a spirit and vivacity which carried the piece without halting or dragging, and kept all present interested to the end. Mr. Pinero puts much witty talk in the mouths of the players.

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Lady Casteljordan is an English woman with the queerest of fads, who trains her three comely daughters as boys, attires them as boys, and makes them proficient in all sorts of boyish sports and rivairies. Abundant diversity of entertaining stuations and complications is suggested by this peculiar state of affairs. Of course, the characters are wildly impossible, and Mr. Pinero's only object in presenting this play is to amuse, although the drift of the piece gives room for playful sattre upon the extravegant passion for athlete games and contests, both in England and America. The play is charmingly put upon the stage, and the raiment of the three actresses, who are garbed as boys, is quaintly agreeable in material, color and cut, and is singularly gratifying to the vision. Altogether, the Lyceum stage last night was peopled with graceful groups, and the whole effect was attractive, as well as enlivening. Judging by the manner in which "The Amazons" was received, the play will be seen many times in this city and elsewhere before it passes into forcet/taless.

Tom Taylor's gallant and stirring one-act drama. "A Sheep in Wolf's Clothing," was performed before "The Amazons" and the principal members of the Lyceum Company galned the approval of their friends by their rendering of the various parts. At no time last night were cordial tributes of appliasse lacking, and the beholders of the two plays went home tranguli and contented, although they passed from the doors of the pretty the tree into the heart of a heavy storm.

"THE LAND OF THE MIDNIGHT SUN." A melodrama by Edwin Barbour, entitled, "The Land of the Midnight Sun," began a short engagement at the Fourteenth Street Theatre last night. ment at the Fourteenth Street Theatre last hight. It is founded on Hall Caine's story, "The Bondman," and has scenes as far apart as North Carolina and Iceland. The story is not unusual, but is well contrived and the dialogue is clearly written. There are two or three sensational scenic effects. The play was completely acted by King Hedley. Miss Katte Gilbert, Miss Mary Wheeler, Lawrence Barbour, Edwin Barbour, Elmer Grandles, Logan Paul and others. It appealed decidely to the taste of the audience, which was of good size, and was vigorously applauded.

HARRIGAN'S THEATRE.

The closing week of Mr. Harrigan's present sea-The closing week of Mr. Harrigan's present season in this city began last night, and it will be devoted to his well-known play of "The Woollen Stocking." The revival has been made in response to many requests. Those persons who wish to see Mr. Harrigan at his best of comic humor, and to enjoy a satire on local life, should avail themselves of the few remaining opportunities. The company will make a tour through the country, visiting the principal cities, and probably will go to California and Australia. Harrigan's Theatre will be closed next week in order to prepare for the production of "The Princess of Trebizonde," to be given by the Pauline Hall Opera Company on March 5. Mr. Pauline Hall Opera Company on March 5. Richard Golden has been engaged for this profition, and a cast of eighty people has been select with care.

IRVING PLACE THEATRE.

Mr. Fulda's play "Der Talisman" was again cted at the Irving Place Theatre last night to a full house. It will have two more performance on Washington's Birthday an extra matinee we given, and "The Perjurer," a play of peass life, will be performed. In the evening the come "Zwei Gluckliche Tage," by Schonthan-Kadelbur will be given for the first time in America—the production being by special arrangement with a Augustin Daly, who owns the American rights the new piece.

THE THEATRES LAST NIGHT.

A busy night at the theatres is recorded, with promise of busier nights to come. An old play and a new one were presented at the Lyceum Theatre—"A Sheep in Wolf's Clothing," and "The Amazons." The old play is much the better of the Amazons." The old play is much the better of the two. Mr. Crane, at the Star Theatre, revived Miss Morton's incredible farcical play of "Brother John." the benevolent hatter, which was produced by him last season, and which only his indomitable comic spirit could save. It is a comfort to hear that Mr. Crane intends to quit wasting his powers upon poor plays next season and present himself in a part that is worthy of him, Shakespeare's Falstaff. That enterprise has a fine sound and it ought to sive the comedian his rightful prominence. No human being capable of thought can possibly bestow serious attention upon such triviality as Brother John. Mr. Harrigan revived his comical medley entitled "The Woollen Stocking." Mr. Williard appeared at the Harlem Opera House in "The Middleman" and delighted a large audience. And a melodrama, called "The Land of the Midnight Sun," was launched at the Fourteenth Street Theatre.

DEATH OF JOSEPH KEPPLER.

SUDDEN END OF THE CARTOONIST AND FOUNDER

OF "PUCK"-A SKETCH OF HIS CAREER. Joseph Keppler, the cartoonist and Editor of "Puck," died suddenly yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 27 East Seventy-ninth-st., from spinal trouble. This was brought on by overexertion at the World's Fair, in Chicago, where a Puck Building was erected. He was born in Vienna, on February 1, 1828. A greater part of Mr. Keppler's youth was spent among the theaters of Vienna, and youth was spent among the theatres of Vienna and with players who wandered throughout Austria and Hungary. After his eighteenth birthday he de-cided to give up the stage in favor of art and he then returned to Vienna and began the study of painting. He went back to the stage for a short painting. He went back to the stage for a short time as actor and manager, soon after his arrival in this country in 1888. Mr. Keppler came to the United States with extremely limited means. He went directly to St. Louis. About 1871 he started a comic weekly in St. Louis, which he called "Puck." This, with one or two other similar pub-lications, which he launched, was not a financial success.

"Puck." This, with one or two other similar publications, which he launched, was not a financial success. Soon after this Mr. Keppler came to New-York and entered the employment of Frank Leelle, an establishment from which have been graduated a number of, well-known cartoonists. In 187 Mr. Keppler, together with Adolph Schwarzmann, conceived the idea of a comic weekly, with a serious purpose, a combination of the German school of art with the American political snap. They established an entirely original periodical, which proved to be a great artistic and financial success—the present "Puck." It was first issued in German, and is still printed in that language as well as in English. Mr. Keppler may be called the father of the genuine American comic weekly. A great part of the success of the cartoons of Mr. Keppler lay in his happy adaptation of classical and mythological subjects to modern ideas, in a style entirely his own.

Mr. Keppler was a man of many friends and popular, especially among those of his own profession. He was the president of the Keppler-Schwarzmann corporation, which now publishes "Puck." He belonged to the Liederkranz and to the Deutscher Verein.

While in St. Louis Mr. Keppler married Miss Pauline Pfau. The wife, a son and two daughters survive him. His son, who is about twenty-three years old, also draws cartoons, which he signs "Keppler, jr."

The arrangements for the funeral, which will probably take place on Thursday, have not yet been made.

Augusta, Me., Feb. 19.—At a meeting of the Moose River Log Driving Company to-day the old board of directors was chosen, and it was voted that the wages of foremen be cut from \$3 to \$250 a day, and canting men from \$2 to \$175. The Dead River Log Driving Company also chose the old directors, and fixed the wages of foremen at \$275 a day, boatmen at \$25 and canting men at \$176, a cut of 25 cents a day all round. REDUCING LUMBERMEN'S WAGES.

INCIDENTS IN SOCIETY.

Mrs. Hiram Cleaver Krob, of No. 114 West Sevarts. Hiralin Cleaver Aron, e. S., entry-flush-st., gave a large reception yesterday afternoon. Assisting the hosters were Mrs. Augustus C. Dexter, Mrs. Emmelt Egerton, Mrs. Alonzo E. Conever, Mrs. A. E. Conever, ir., Mrs. Alonzo E. Conever, Mrs. A. E. Conever, ir., Mrs. George B. Torrey, Mrs. Wilbur S. Littlehale, Mrs. Assis. J. Dec. Mrs. May Madel Conesse. Miss Minuference. Arthur L. Root, Miss Mabel Conrow, Miss Minnie Francis, Miss Madge Stevenson, of Orange; Miss Lilla Wright, Miss Emma Frame, Miss Emity Walton, of Newark; Miss Lillie Conrow, Miss Conrow, Miss Blanche Prabody, Miss Annie Jackson, Miss Mahel Hoberson, Miss Annie Hase and Miss Lucy Hitchias. There was music by a company of mandolin players, and after the reception Mrs. Kroh gave a large dinner party, which was fol-

lowed by a dance for about 159 young people.

Mrs. Lawrence Wells gave a progressive eachre party last night at her home, No. 16 West Seventeenth-st.

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At the musical morning of Albert Morris Bagby in the bailroom of the Walderf yesterday, Mme. Norlica, of the Metropolitan Opera House, and Victor Herbert, the violoncellist, were the soloists. They were both received enthusiastically. The music was followed by a luncheon in honor of Mme. Nordica, at which were present Mrs. James Abercrombic Burden, Mrs. Elisha Dyer, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burden, Miss Markaret Cameron, Miss Cooks, Mrs. May Wisser, Miss Helen Price, Miss. Corbin, Miss McAllister, Miss Helen Brice, Miss Martina Johnstone, the Swellsh violinist; Miss Anna E. Evans, Miss leabel Green, Frank B. Tracy, MacDougall Hawkes, Henry Bucknel, Prince Lubet-ski, Charles T. Mathews, James J. Harrison, Signor

upon him as the chief funmaker of the evening. Mrs. L. F. Kretchmar, Miss Moran's mother, will

be ten in number. Dinner parties will be given to-night by Mrs. John J. Wysong, Mrs. H. Victor Newcomb and Mrs. Howland Pell. The Pell dinner is in honor of Mrs. Pell's sister, Miss Jean B. Gallath, and George P. Cemmann, whose engagement has just been answered.

AT THE VARIETY HALLS.

The continuous vaudeville performance at Herrmann's began the week with a long programme of performers. Dupont, the nertal marvel, accom-plished some sensational feats. Gracie and Reynolds, the comic team, provoked a great deal of laughter. The Rinaldos, in their acrobatic feats in a trick house, were among the best features. Ray Burton house, were among the best features. Ray Burton did some skilful shooting with the rifle, and also performed on the slack wire. Leavitt and Nevello, the jugglers, introduced new specialties. The Dore Brothers, banjoists; Slacehan and Sullivan, Irish comedians; Ottahe, the serio comic; Girard and Thompson, from the "Ali Laba" company; Moore and Vivian, character comedians; McBride and Goodrich, clog dancers; Allan May and Lilian Jerome, balladists, and Morton, the harmonica soloist, were others that appeared. Lots in Egg

burlesque on the planist Paderewski inst night, playfamily did some remarkable acrobatic feats. Ful-gora, who is described as "the transfigurator," made a number of changes of costume in the presence of a number of changes of costume in the brosence of the audience. He first appeared in evening dress; after singing a stanza of a song he suddenly changed his dress to a military uniform, then again to that of an Irishwoman, then a society belie, and leaving the stage but for an instant he reappeared again in evening dress. Matthews and Harris gave a bright and amusing sketch. The Misses St. Maur and Gardner sang well, and many others were there to make up a long and interesting entertainment, Mr. Pastor sang in his usual style. Pastor sang in his usuni style.

The programme last night at Koster & Blal's comprised several entirely new features, principal among them being the first appearance in America of Mile them being the first appearance in America of Mile. Armand 'Ary, who has entirely recovered from the hoarseness which prevented her from appearing last week. Other new features were the American debut of the brothers Deltorell, musical clowns, from the Winter Garden, Berlin; behrade, flusionist; Mile. Bertoldt, contortionist, and Atrox, a clever juggler. The rest of the bill included the Allisons; the clown Jigg; Mile. Alcide Capitaine, Unthan, Sandow and the two Macs.

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Oriental art was conspicuous in the vaudeville entertainment at the Eden Musee last night. The Chinese operetta entitled "The Maiden and the God" was presented by Frederick T. Wilson, the author, and Miss Olive Neison, who played the part of the Celestial bride. The musle, arranged by Elliott Presson Miller, was pleasing, and the Oriental costumes excited much admiration.

The array of entertainers at Proctor's Theatre this week includes "Beautiful Jessica." who does a serpentine dance on a sinck wire; La Berte, who introduces new dancing; De Bisseil, the clay modeller; Valdare, who will perform new tricks on the bicycle; the Zanette Troupe, Japanese jugglers; the Crescendos, electrical clowns; the Braatz Brothers; Hughes and Farron; Vanola, McBride and Flynn; Clayton, Jenkins and Jasper; the Hlatts; Ceado and Vera; Will Denny, vocalist; Kitty Smith, transformation dancer; the Rig Four, acrobats; Kins Ner, equilibrist; Etta Albion, character change artist; the Ricketts; James W. Thompson; Mirzi Miester, the Tyrolean warbler, and Maud Bevington, English serio-comic. The doors of Proctor's Theatre will open at 9 o'clock on Washington's Birthday and the performance will continue until 19:39 p. m. Mme. Deville, the newest of the French Singers to arrive from Paris, did not appear at the Imperial Music Hall last night, as advertised. It was all because the French Line steamer Bretagne, upon which she was a passenger, had an exceedingly rough time of it in crossing, and the singer was suffering from the effects of it when she landed yesterday morning. Mile, Deville, who comes with her American debut this evening.

night to see the special programme that is put on for the last performances. Only seven more days remain, as these wonderful animals have to leave New-York to fill engagements elsewhere. The run here has been phenomenal. The managers announce particularly attractive programme for Thursday a particularly attractive programme for Thursday, Washington's Birthday. The evening programme now includes the act performed by the big crowd of ilons, tigers, leopards, bears and dogs, and also Mr. Darling's remarkable company of llons. Till last week only one of these two exhibitions were given at any one performance. They are still alternated at the afternoon performances. Though the Hagenbeck animals will probably return to New-York after visiting other cities, it will be of decided advantage to those who have not yet seen them to improve some of these few present opportunities. The chances are that anybody who sees them now will want to see them again when they come back. That would be the natural inference from nost experience, as the same faces are seen at the past experience, as the same faces are seen at the exhibition again and again, and those who have once been introduced to the animals seem never to tire of renewing the acquaintance.

BUFFALO WITHOUT WATER FOR TWO HOURS. BUFFALO WITHOUT WATER FOR TWO HOURS.

Buffalo, Feb. 19.—For nearly two hours this morning this city was completely without water, and at the mercy of fire, and had one broken out the result would have undoubtedly been disastrous. The cause was the failure of the natural gas supply which is used to run the engines at the pumping station. About 8.39 o'clock the gas suddenly gave out, without any warning, and the gas sheets had to be ripped out, and the furnaces put in condition to burn coal. This task occupied over an hour and a half, during which time the engines were idle, and no water went through the mains. The same thing happened about three weeks ago, and as a consequence the Water Department will at once begin the entire substitution of coal for gas, as the latter has become too uncertain to risk its continuance as fuel.

MR. WILLIS EXPLAINS.

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Government had any "intentions," hastile or other-wise, toward your Government, Government had any "latestions," hostile or otherwise loward your Government.

This imbility to comply with your requests should had have been conserved as an evidence of "hostic listent," for the further reason that the information upon both points submitted to me had already on November 14 been gives to your Minister at Washington and through him, on November 24 to your Government.

If there was nothing in the subject of your inquiries to warrant the bedief that the United States and that no inference of unfriendly feeling should therefore have been drawn. Moreover, inquiries to warrant the bedief that the United States and that no inference of unfriendly feeling should therefore have been drawn. Moreover, at the time your letter was written, you were aware of the fact that for the accommodation of government to Corwin had been delayed over failf a week.

As to the written communication, the language used will answer for itself. The oral interview is reported to the United Press by its correspondent here, whose accuracy you will attest. In a letter from Honolaiu of December 5 he says:

"On the 21th ultimo the Warrimoo brought from Victoria our earliest knawledge of Secretary Gresham's letter. Immediately after the news by the dispatch-hoat Corwin, it is only necessary to remained the may all officers of the United Hardy on that the mayal officers of the United States and the public generally were denied such privilege, and that no inference of unfriendly feel-water of the fact that for the accommodation of a time for the say written, you were of the fact that for the accommodation of the Eritsh Minister and Japanese Consul-General, for permission is still outstanding, and is not now, and was not then, in my judgment, proper evidence of a hostile purpose on the provisional tower that the mayal officers of the Inited States and the public generally were denied such privilege, and that no inference of unfriendly feel-water of the fact that for the accommodation of the Eritsh Minister and Japanese Consul-General,

omey-General Smith watted upon Minister Willis-Chey asked to know less instructions. He courrecous-y declined to communicate them, but renewed to been a previous assurance that he would take ab-country no action until the return of the Alameda of December 21. He further assured them that they would be the first to know of any course of ac-lon decided upon by him. He eviaced a genuine ympathy for the Government, if not for their cause. Minister Willis then distened appreciatively o a representation by the Attorney-General to the frect that their strugges for a good and constitu-lental government have been protected for fifteen cars."

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You further, in paragraph 15, refer to your communication of November 29, "revoking the general permission theretofore granted to the United States forces to hand for drill," You assigned no reason for such action and I know of none. You were, however, promptly notified that such privilege would not thereafter be exercised, and to this day no atmed soldier of our Government has been lauded here for that or any other purpose.

Indeed, as appears from a letter of Admiral Irwin of November 28, acknowledging the receipt of a copy of your letter above referred to, he had "already given orders that our troops were not to be landed for drill or any other purpose," as, in his opinion, the landing of troops for drill would have a tendency to increase the disquiet already existing. Your paragraph 15 is a brief extract from the message of President Cleveland of December 4, which was received here on the Corwin, December 4,

Under our Constitution, as you are well aware. Congress alone has the "power to declare war." As the President distanctly announced that he would only act "within the constitutional limits of Executive power," he precluded the idea of using force, and reaffirmed his declaration of November 14, delivered to Secretary Gresham, not "to do anything which would cause injury to life or property of any one at the Islands."

Paragraph 17 describes upon the authority of certain "visiting citizens" the preparations on board our war vessels after the arrival of the Corwin, which seemed to imply that our forces "were ready to find your ear the Islands."

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that our men have not been and the commond of drill since my assumption of commond of the reply quoted as made by the officers of the Priladelphia, 'that no one on board knew what orders would be received,' should convince any reasonable person that no order had been given.'

ADMIRAL IRWIN'S CAPEFULNESS.

The Admiral says in conclusion: "As you are

aware, I have studiously avoided doing anything that would have a tendency to increase the excitament prevailing in Honolulu, and I now distinctly state that the naval force under my command is in

THREE INTERVIEWS WITH THE QUEEN.

Paragraph 19 states: "It was also known that you were in frequent communication with the ex-Queen." I desire to state that the only communications of a political character which I have had with the Queen were limited to three occasions. As to the first of these, on November 14, I have no reason to believe you were informed. The other two, on the 16th and 18th of December last, were the following day reported by me in person to your Government, and their subject-matter form

naitting it to your Government for its voluntary action.

With regard to Mr. J. O. Carter's comments on the situation and conversation with his nephew, I have this to say. Mr. Carter was invited by me to the last interviews with the Queen, December 16 and 18. He knew nothing until then of the interview of 18. He knew nothing until then of the interview of November 14. As a native Hawaiian of American parentage, whose character for integrity and intelligence was acknowledged in the community. I considered him a proper person to be present. His counsel to his nephew was, to use his own language, sel to his nephew was, to use his own language entirely upon Secretary Gresham's published letter and current newspaper comments. It was not a warning in the sense the letter of Minister Dole conveys."

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In paragraph 29 you state: "It was the almost niversal belief in the city that you were about a attempt to land the naval forces of the United tates, to enforce the execution of the President's atter."

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As to the "crowds of people, among them many prominent royalists," at the wharves "for several prominent royalists," at the wharves "for several demains Paramount Blount, vincicating Minister Stevens and aimost indorsing annexation, sufficiently will recall the fact, as set forth in your subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the British Minister of the subsequent paragraph (23), that the

United States "to enforce the execution of the President's policy."

THE DISPATCHES CARRIED BY THE CORWIN. Touching the statement, in paragraph 22, that your Government was refused permission to for-ward "Hawailan Government dispatches" by the

letter:
"Many of my neighbors were nervous and excited, being airuld of some suiden acts of lawless people, and I deemed it proper to say to them that in case of immediate need this residence being in a somewhat distant part of the city), my consulate was always at their service, as a good friend and neighbor."

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DOLE KNEW THERE WOULD BE DELAY.

Let me call your attention to the fact that at the time your answer was delivered I notified you that I would forward it to Washington, and that nothing would be done by me until further instructed. To this your reply was: "That will be very satisfactory to our people."

The Corwin, which, as hereinbefore stated, had been delayed for the purpose of receiving your answer, left at 4 a. m., Sunday, December 24. The next day being Christmas, no communication could be sent to you, but on the following day. December 29. I acknowledged in writing the receipt of your answer to President Cleveland's deviction, notifying you that it had been sent to Washington. Tals communication was delivered at the Executive building before 3 p. m. of date of above named. December 25, or the following day, December 25, at 4 p. m., I received the letter out of which this correspondence has arisen.

Your paragraph (28) states: "During your nearly two months' re-defined in this city you and your family have declined the customary social courtesies usually extended to those occupying your official position, on the specified ground that it was not december but miss each of account was a second of account of the letter out of which this correspondence in this city you and your family have declined the customary social courtesies usually extended to those occupying your official position, on the specified ground that it was not december best multiple existence of the letter of account of the content of the content of the letter of the content of the letter of th

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desired to hold to me and to my family. The
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out communication, was a concert by the Govcent Hand, on the night of our strival, which
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replied, without unnecessary comment, I have con-and endeavered to explain those portions correspondence which bery upon the auto-the "purpose to use force," and the respon-arising therefrom, duly respecting the detrine of non-in-tee by the representative of another governand duly properting the doctrine of non-in-sence by the representative of another sovern-with your domestic affairs, I shall reloice to that anything I have done or sail tax or dote has leaded to a better unlessanding ent events in your history and of multives and tentions as to which there may be, as you "mutual apprehension." share you for the contenus and appreciative which you have been pleased to express, and are cordially reciprocated, and trusting that may be a specify honorable and satisfactory insent of all pending questions, I have the with renewed assertances of high considera-to be, Sir, yours most respectfully.

yours most respectfully. ALRERT S. WILLIS. From a dispatch from Mr. Willis to Secretary Gresham, dated February 2, 1894, it appears that some of the persons named in Marshal Wil-mon's list of Queen's advisers disayow that honor, Mr. Wills writes:

In a letter to Secretary Gresham dated Janu In a letter to Secretary Gresham dated January 20, Mr. Willia acknowledges receipt of a dispatch of January 12, 1821, and says:

"Permit me to express my thanks for your words of approval. I will, as directed, endeavor to keep the Department fully informed of the course of events and will until further notice, consider that my special instructions have been fully compiled with, the Hawaiian question being, as you now inform me submitted to the Cons you now inform me, submitted to the Con-

The rest of the correspondence is made up of newspaper clippings.

CAUSES OF THE REVOLUTION.

The Rev. Dr. T. L. Gullek, a native of Honolule and for many years a missionary in the Hawalian Islands, will speak this evening in the Pourth Islands, will speak this evening in the Fourth Avenue Presbyterian Church, on "The Causes of the Hawaiian Revolution: Who Brought it About; What Are and May lie the Results." Dr. Gallek has had exceptional advantages for studying the Hawaiian quertion on the ground, and his address will be of great interest to the public, regardless of the position he may take toward the attitude of the Administration. The proceeds of the locture will be given to the work among the unemployed people of the East Side. Tickets may be secured from Randolph's, in Fifth-ave., or from C. F. Cutter, No. 113 Fulton-st.

THE HAWAIIAN MATTER IN THE SENATE.

THE VERDICT NOT TO BE CHANGED.

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From The Commercial advertiser.

No matter what the action of the Senate may be on the Hawalian matter, the American people have all the testimony before them that they require, and the verdict will be rendered in due time. It may gratify Mr. Cleveland and the old Confederate Blount thave a little whitewash from the Congressions "Cuckoo" artists, but the revolution in Hawali i not going backward, it will be observed.

From The Utica Herald. Senator Morgan is thoroughly American in his views of the proper foreign policy of the United States. He was heartly in favor of the treaty of annexation which President Cieveland withdrew from the Senate, And in shaping his report to cover the present Administration he will have to suppress himself.

A GOOD AMERICAN CHAIRMAN,

NOT READY TO ACCEPT THE CUCKOO VIEW. From The Springfield Union.

The people are not yet satisfied that they know the whole truth. Questions are still pending in the House, and the Senate Committee is yet to make report of its investigation. The people have not consented to accept the Cuckoo view of the Administration's action, which view has been arrived at by partisan tinkering or ignoring of the facts. The issue is not a dead one by any means.

From The Mall and Express.

Senator Morgan, of Alabama, is a Democrat, but not a Cuckoo. The report which he has prepared, as Chairman of the Senate Foreign Affairs Committee, on Hawalian affairs, while it defends Blount and Cleveland in a few respects, is said to be so pariotic and American in tone that it is probable that it will be indorsed by the Republican members, in all essential points the prediction is made that the report will command the approval of patriots.

HOW HE STANDS WITH THE SENATE.

of the Administration. The voice of the "Cuckoo" in the House is husbed in this new "noise and clamor," and unioward events cast their shadows before. With the Senate rejecting nominations to oblige Mr. Hill, and a Senate committee going back on the Lifuokalanian policy, Mr. Cleveland must shrink a trifle even in his own estimation.

THE WORK OF CHARITY.

TIMELY RELIEF SENT TO WORTHY FAM-ILIES BY THE TRIBUNE FUND.

PEOPLE WHO HAVE HERETOFORE EARNED GOOD WAGES ARE NOW REDUCED

TO DEPENDENCE.

Two hundred and eighty-one poor families went to bed last night happier and more comfortable than when they arose in the morning through the charity of The Tribune Coal and Food Fund. Two hundred families received groceries enough to last them for several days, and give them new strength to struggle on against poverty, and eighty-one homes were made cheerful and warm by the gift

of a half-ton of coal to each.

The food was given out at two places. At the Bohemian Presbyterian Church, No. 347 East Seventy-fourth-st., 100 families received aid. They were not all Bohemians, but belonged to various classes and races. Most of them had applied for work to the Rev. Vincent Pisek, paster of the church. He investigated their cases, found them worthy, and gave them charity, which is less difficult to get than work just now. The present famine is dis-tinctively a famine of work. The most suggestive and resourceful missionary can secure even temporary employment for only a small fraction of the idle hands that are uplifted on every side.

The people, women mostly, went to the church with large baskets, and carried to their homes the food which was given out. Each family received the following, the cost of which to The Tribune Fund was 31:

The method of distribution pursued at the Dewitt

One can of condensed milk.

The method of distribution pursued at the Dewitt Memorial Church, No. 289 Rivington-st., was different. The Rev. W. T. Elsing, who has charge of the work there, gave employment to some of the able-hodied men who had applied to him for work, getting them to carry the groceries to the homes of the reciplents.

The missionaries who visited the hotnes of these peor people reported the extremest want and suffering. "I found one woman solbing," said one. "There was nothing to eat in the house, and no fire or fuel. Three children, crying, were at her knee. She said that her husband had gone away about an hour before, vowing never to return. He had kept up his courage through a long, unsuccessful search for work, even when he daily saw his small stock of furniture going, and knew that his family was getting nearer each day to the point of starvation. He had arisen that morning without a resource left in the house. He was utterly powerless to lessen the alunger of his wife and children, and to keep them from suffering from the cold." I can do nothing for you, he said to them, ame I cannot hear to see you starve. I shall not come back. The wife at that moment did not know but that she was a widow. She could not leave her children to search for her husband, and restrain him in his desperate resoive. Shd could only sit and weep."

The husband was found by the nussionary. He received a thelet to work at cleaning the streets. He will begin work in a day or two. The immediate need of his family was supplied by a gift from The Tribune Fund.

"In my judgment," said the missionary, "the distress is increasing. The people who have received food to-day belong to the better class. We have never been called on to aid them before. Scarcely any asked for charity. They applied here for work. We could not gave work for most of them, but we sladdened them by securing groceries from The Tribune Coal and Food Fund.

ANNUAL DINNER OF THE HARVARD CLUB

C. C. BEAMAN, COLLECTOR KILERDIH, EX-JUDGE HOWLAND, PRESIDENT LOW AND OTHER WELL-KNOWN MEN WILL SPEAK.

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The annual dinner of the Harvard Club of this city will be he'd at Delmonico's to-morrow evening at 6.00 o'clock. The dinner is not confined to members of the club, all Harvard men in this city being invited to be present. For several years the New-York dinner has been the opportunity for the graduates in this neighborhood, young and old, to gather together and hear all about the university from together and hear all about the university, from scholarship to athletics. The list of speakers arranged for to-morrow night goes to show that the Harvard men will have a chance to learn some-thing on a wide variety of subjects concerning things both in the university and out of R. Ed-ward Kinz, the president of the club, will preside, and the principal speakers will be C. C. Beaman, the Rev. Dr. Arthur Brooks, pastor of the Church of the Incarnations J. T. Kilbergh, Calleger of the of the Incarnation; J. T. Kilbreth, Collector of the Port; Prof. J. B. Ames, of the Harvard Law School; Charles F. McKim, William H. Rand, ex-Judge Cale for Princeton, and President Seth Low,

for Columbia. President Ellot is unable to be present at the din-ner, and the toast, "The University," to which he usually responds, will be answered by Mr. Beaject of sports. The graduates are looking forward with interest to hear what he will have to say on the rather tadical changes in athletic management which President Eliot proposed last week. W. H. Rand represents the younger body of the alumni, having been graduated in the class of '88. At college he was a prominent member and actor in the Hasty Pudding Club, and won a reputation as a college wit and after-dinner speaker. The Dinner Committee is as follows: Charles C. Beaman, Ausein G. Fox, Charles Howland Russell, Perry D. Trafford, J. Hampden Robb, Nathaniel S. Smith, Arthur M. Sherwood and W. Kintzing Post. ----

NOTES OF THE STAGE.

The production of "Werther" at the Metropolitan Opera The positions of the state of the sections of the sections of Mmc. Emma liames. The management showed its intention to do the best in its power for the audience that Werther."

One of the most interesting days at the Exhibition One of the max interaction, any accumulation of the Instruments of Torture in West Twenty-third-st, was yesterday, when a body of 150 German citizens, belonging to the New-Yorker Deutscher Aputheker-Verein, visited the gatteries. They were headed by Sidney Faber, the secretary of the association, who for twenty years acted in the capacity of cicerona at the Royal Castle of Neuremberg. He delivered a lecture in German, and was most attentively listened to.

Gerhardt Hauptmann, a German unimatel, arrows in this city pesterday, and is staying at the house of Carl Resenfeld, No. 20 East Sixty-fourth-st. The Rosenfeld

Music Hall to-night, and will sing an air from "Hamlet" and a Spanish song; Mile, Pettigiani, Signor Campanari, Edouard De Reezke, M. Lassalle, Signor Bologna and Signor Campanint will also sing.

Some new and amusing features were introduced in the performance of "Charley's Aunt" at the Standard Theatre

James J. Cerbett appeared at the Columbus Theatre last evening in his play "Gentleman Jack." It was his first appearance on the stage in Harlem.

efforts for the development of musical art in the United States that he yesterday renewed his contract as director of the National Conservatory of Music of America. Dr. the consercatory. He has gained a reputation here in that

MR. BARRYMORE SAYS HE IS STILL SINGLE. It was reported yesterday that Miss Mamie Floyd had Mr. Barrymore, who is now playing in "A Lady of Venice" at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, said last night that the report was wholly unfounded. A reporter called on Miss Floyd, but she refused to be seen. She was formerly an actress, but has not been on the stage in some years. She and Mr. Barrymore acted together in "The Duke's Motto" at Niblo's Garden six or seven years ago.

DIED.

BECKWITH—At Paterson, N. J., on Sunday, February 1S, 1894, Mary Elizabeth Thomas, wife of Charles E. Beckwith, in the 28th year of her age. Friends are invited to attend the funeral on Tuesday, February 20, 1894, at 2 o'clock p. m., from the readence of her father-in-law, Charles D. Beckwith, No. 188 Carroll-st., Paterson, N. J. Interment at Cedar Lawn, Mount Vernon, New-York papers please copy. GURLEY—At Los Angeles, Cal., Mrs. William Gurley, widow of William Gurley, of Troy, N. Y. Notice of funeral hereafter. HENNESSY—On Monday, February 19, 2t his late residence, No. 1,323 Madison-ave., Dennis Hennessy, in his 87th year.

87th year. Notice of funeral later.

KEPPLER—On Monday, February 19, 1894, Joseph Kep-pler, in the 53th year of his age, at his residence, No. 27 East 70th-st. Notice of functal hereafter. Notice of inheral necester.

KIRBY—In Pawling, N. Y. Pebruary 18, 1804, Charlotte
M. Kirby, widow of Clark Kirby, aged 82.

Funeral services at Pawling, N. 1., at the Baptist
Church, Wednesday, Pebruary 21, at 139 p. m.

Church, Wednesday, February 21, at 159 p. m.

KNOX—At Patchogue, L. I., on Monday, February 19,
1844, Charles McLean Knox.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

KNOWLTON—At Latewood, N. J., February 17, 1894, D.
Henry Knowlton, of New-York City, in the 48th year
of his age.

Funeral services will be held at the Madison Square Prespyterian Church, Tuesday, February 29, at 10 a. m.
Friends and relatives invited.

Interment private.

Vierans of the 7th Regiment are requested to attend the funeral services of D. Henry Knowlon, Tenta Company, at Madison Square Presopterian Church, on Tuesday morning, February 20 at 10 o'clock.

HENRY W. T. MALL, Colonel. MORSS-On Monday, February 19, 1894, Anne Archer, daughter of the late Amos Morse.

daughter of the late Amos Morss. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at her late residence, 28 West 17th-et., on Thursday morning next, at 10 o'clock. MULFORD On Sunday morning, February 18th, at Han-over Noth, N. J., William H. J. Mulford, aged 54 years. Funeral from his residence Tuesday, February 20th, 1

Funeral from his residence thesay, February 200, p. m.
Carriages will be in waiting at Madison (Delaware, Lack-awanna and Western Rullroad) on arrival of 19:10 train from Barcley and Christopher-et, ferries, New-York, PIERSON—Suddenly, at Mornigown, N. J., on Saturday morning, February 17, Amelia Cory wife of Dr. Stephen Pierson.
Funeral services will be held at her late residence, on Tuesday, February 29, at 3 p. m.
PINKNEY—On Monday, February 19, at his residence, 116 Madison-ave, John M. Pinkney, son of the late Wm. Townsend Pinkney.
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PINGRY—On Friday, Pebruary 16, 1894, at Elizabeth,
N. J., Rev. John F. Pingry, Ph. D., in the 76th year
of his age.

Funeral services at Westminster Freebyterian Church,
Flinabeth, N. J., Tuesday, February 20, at 1 o'clock

p. m.

RAY-Winthrop G. Ray, in the 55th year of his age.

Relatives and triends are invited to attend the funeral on

Theeday, February 20, at 4 p. m., from his late residence, 57 Clinton Place.

SUTTON-Suddenly, on February 18, 1894, of diphtheria,

at her parents' residence, Haddonfield, N. J., Jennie B.,

youngest dengther of Frederick and Ella C. Sutton, and

granddauchter of William Underdown, in the 11th year

of her age.

Litetment private.

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WOODWARD—On Sunday morning, February 18th, Eilen Immels, wife of Frederick F. Woodward, and daughter of the late Thomas and Jane N. Duniels.

Foreral from her late residence, 14 West Stin-st. Wednesday, February 21st, at 11 a. m.

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at 8:30 p. m. for Newfoundiand, per steamer from Halffax, N. Gueenstown; at 4 a. m. for Europe, per s. s. Majestic, via Queenstown; at 4 a. m. for Heigium direct, per
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s. s. Obdam via 2 la m. for Iradi and La Plata countries, per s. s. Roman Prince, via Pernambuco and RioJaneiro detters must be directed "per Roman Prince");
at 1 p. m. for Cuba, per s. s. City of Washington, via
Hayana; at 1 p. m. supplementary 1:30 p. m.) for
Windward Islands, per s. s. Fontabelle tietters for
Grenada, Trinidad and Tobago must be directed "per
Fontabelle"); at 2 p. m. for Newfoundland, per steamer
FRIDAY—At 1 p. m. supplementary 1:30 p. m.) for
Namau, N. P., per s. s. Antilia.

SATUEDAY—At 3 a. m. for France, Switzerland, Italy,
Spain, Portugal, Turkey and British India, per s. s. La
Bretasne, via Hayre detters for other parts of Europe
must be directed "per La Bretagne"); at 5 a. m. for
Norway direct, per s. s. Norge detters must be directed
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via Queenstown, at 7 a. m. for Ruspe, per s. s. Athos
Girected "per Augusta Victoria"); at 8 a. m. for Bernuda, per s. s. Trinidad; at 10 a. m. (supplementary 10:30
a. m.) for Fortune Island and Janaica, per s. s. Athos
Girected "per Hayti, Cumana and Carupano, per s. s.
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Curacno and Savandila, via 10:30 a. m. (su

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Meeting in Association Hall, 23d-st. and 4th-ave., from
12 to 1:30 p. m. to-day, led by Rev. A. C. DIXON. Rev.
H. M. HORTON, Rev. GEORGE C. MIDHAM and Rev.
Dr. MIRGIUS, will speak. George C. Stebbins, the Willson Family, Mrs. 1. S. Seress, the Crecie Quartet and
others will sing. Scats free. Come and go at any time,